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In re PATENT APPLICATION of: SCHLEGEL Confirmation Number:

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Title: Protecting Against Canine Oral Papillonmavirus (COPV)

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O.Box 1450 Alexandria.VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated , please amend the above-identified application as follows: